

REMARKS

Applicants have made an election, without traverse, of the claims of Group 1 and the species Triacanol, Vitamin B-12 and Vitamin D3. The claims encompassed by the elected invention and species have been recited.

If the undersigned can be of assistance to the Examiner in advancing the application to allowance, please contact the undersigned representative for applicant at the number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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